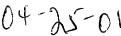
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Assistant Comm Box Patent App Washington, D.	lication	
Enclose	ed herew	ith is a continuing patent application and the following papers:
	Invento	ors (or application identifier): R. Eric Montgomery
	Title of	Invention: TOOTH WHITENING COMPOSITION
		Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-Part
		of prior application No. <u>09/196,403</u> , filed <u>November 19, 1998</u> ; which claims priority from U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. <u>60/066,187</u> , filed <u>November 19, 1997</u> .
i.	Specification after en	cation <u>40</u> pages (including specification, claims, abstract) / <u>26</u> claims (<u>6</u> independent), atry of the Preliminary Amendment.
2.	Declara ■ □ □	cation/Power of Attorney: Copy from Prior Application (for continuation or divisional application) Newly Executed Declaration (for CIP application) Deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f)
,		Deletion of Inventor(s) - Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
		Incorporation by Reference - The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein

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	4.		This application is	ion by inserting before the first line of the first paragraph the following the sentence: a continuation of U.S. Patent No. Application Serial No. 09/196,403, filed which claims priority from U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/066,187, filed						
	5. ☐ Information Disclosu ☐ Form 1449 ☐ A copy of ea			e Statement ch cited prior art reference						
- mild.	6.		Assignment ☐ Assignment with Cover Sheet attached ☐ Assignment filed in prior application. Application assigned to: OraCeutical LLC, of Montere Massachusetts.							
Hotel And Hope H	7.		Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following application(s) (provisional and foreign applications):							
12			Country	Application Number	Date of Filing (day, month, year)					
			US	60/066,187	19 NOV 1997					
	8.	Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 based upon the following applications:								
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			US	09/196,403	19 NOV 1998					
	9. 10.		Priority document(s) Small Entity Statement ■ Small Entity Statement was filed in prior application, Small Entity Status is still proper and desired. □ Small Entity status is being claimed hereby. □ is no longer claimed.							
	11.		Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)							
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13. Calculation of Fees:

FEES FOR	EXCESS CLAIMS	FEE	AMOUNT DUE	
Basic Filing Fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a))			\$710.00	
Total Claims in Excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	6	18.00	\$108.00	
Independent Claims in Excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	3	80.00	\$240.00	
Multiple Dependent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))	0	270.00	\$0.00	
Subtotal - Filing Fee Due	\$1,058.00			
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Reduction by 50%, if Small Entity (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)	0.50		\$529.00	
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14. PAYMENT is:

- The Commissioner is authorized to debit the instant filing fee, in the amount of \$529.00, and any other fees during the pendency of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18, to Deposit Account No. 19-0733. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.
- not included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f)
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